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# Evening Programs

## June 20 through June 26, 2004

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**9:00 P.M. Nightly**

**Where to Meet:** Cedar Pass Campground Amphitheater, 60 yards west of Cedar Pass Lodge

**What to Bring:** Insect Repellant, Cushion

**What to Expect:** 10 minutes of warm up and introduction followed by a 25 minute slide program. Topics change nightly.

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**Sunday, June 20**  
**Silent Sentinel**

What goes on underground in this area? Is it natural history? Is it national protection? Learn more about the secret world underneath prairie from Park Ranger Jim Lovelace.

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**Monday, June 21**  
**Custodians of the Prairie**

Where can I see bison? How about an endangered black-footed ferret? If you're looking for prairie wildlife, head to a Prairie Dog Town where you'll find these animals and more - all cared for by the "Custodians of the Prairie." Meet Eric Weisman to explore the mixed grass prairie.

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**Tuesday, June 22**  
**Pages of Time in the Badlands**

Mammal fossils, multicolored layers, sharply eroded buttes, pinnacles, and spires are main attractions at Badlands National Park but what do they tell us about the area and how it came to be called "Bad Lands"? The erosive rock layers contain clues that reveal an ocean, a tropical forest, and an ancient grassland.

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**Wednesday, June 23**  
**Badlands' Secret Ingredient**

Badlands National Park includes world renowned fossils, striking examples of erosion at work and scenery that draws visitors from around the world. Could it be that all of this is due to just one "secret ingredient"? Join Cecilia Mitchel to find out.

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**Thursday, June 24**  
**Badlands or Bust!**

Join Park Ranger Holly Johnson to learn what has brought outsiders into this area of the White River Badlands and how the area eventually became a national park.

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**Friday, June 25**  
**Silent Sentinel**

What goes on underground in this area? Is it natural history? Is it national protection? Learn more about the secret world underneath prairie from Park Ranger Jim Lovelace.

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**Saturday, June 26**  
**A Good Place to Make a Home**

Why is a place called the Badlands a good place to live for animals, plants, and people. Join Park Ranger Alison Carmody